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## MEMORANDUM ENDORSED

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## **BY HAND**

Honorable Shirley Wohl Kram United States District Judge Southern District of New York Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street, Room 2510 New York, NY 10007

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JUDGE S. W. KRAM CHAMBERS

Re:

United States v. Jhamel Sean Francis, et al.

07 Cr. 672 (SWK)

Dear Judge Kram:

The above-captioned case was initially assigned to Your Honor. However, I understand from your Chambers that the case will be reassigned to another United States District Judge. The Government respectfully requests that time be excluded under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. §§ 3161 et seq., until such time as an initial conference can be scheduled with the reassigned Judge, in order to allow the Government to produce, and the defendants to review, discovery. I have spoken with counsel for each of the six defendants in this case, and each has consented to the exclusion of time under the Speedy Trial Act until such time as the initial conference can be scheduled.

Respectfully submitted,

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Application Cronted.
Time is excluded in the interests of justice.

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